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BSF TRAINING CAMP FOR SURRENDERED MILITANTS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of surrendered militants belonging to disbanded Bodo Liberation Tigers ran away from the BSF training centre in Manipur;

(b) if so, the facts and the reasons therefor;

(c) the number of such surrendered militants reported back so far;

(d) the action taken against the officials found responsible for such lapse; and

(e) the preventive measures taken to check recurrence of such incidents?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a),(b)&(c): - 180 BSF recruits (surrendered Bodo Liberation Tigers militants) ran away from the training centre in Manipur on 30-06-2005. All of them have reported back except one recruit who had earlier tendered his resignation.

(d): The instructors singled out by the recruits during interaction with senior officers have been posted out of training centre without prejudice to any further action against them on the basis of the report of Court of Inquiry.

(e): The instructional staff in BSF`s Training Centre have been advised to conduct themselves in exemplary manner and have better understanding of the recruits. Senior Officers have also been directed to increase the frequency of their interactions with the recruits.